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ELECTRONIC COMPONENT AND MOUNTING  
METHOD AND APPARATUS THEREOF  
(Rule 1.53(b) Continuation  
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CLAIM OF PRIORITY UNDER 35 USC 119

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicants in the above-entitled application hereby claim the date of priority under the International Convention of Japanese Patent Application No. 8-333782, filed December 13, 1996, as acknowledged in the Declaration of this application.

A certified copy of said Japanese Patent Application is of record in parent application Serial No. 09/319,779, filed June 11, 1999.

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